

Trips, Babies, Meetings, March For Polio Top Stories of Week

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Mrs. Marge Miller has been appointed the lieutenant for the Story Book Homes section of this area in the Mothers' March for Polio on Jan. 31. She has issued a call for more workers. She may be reached at FR 6-7578 or at her home at 22633 Lupine Dr. Persons who will not be home should contact the lieutenant in their area and leave a contribution.

The Green Thumbers Garden Club will meet at the home of Bess Sellmeier, of 22715 Susana Ave. on Jan. 19 at 8 p.m. Harley Yunt, of Swift and Co. will speak. Persons interested in joining the group should contact Bess at FR 5-6615.

Mrs. Doris Smith, of 5702 Palos Verdes Blvd., with daughters Sharon and Becky left Saturday for a week in the snow at Big Bear. The trip was to honor Becky's birthday. Since they didn't have chains, they couldn't make it all the way up the mountain, but they did see about a foot of snow. They arrived home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. William Crump Jr., of 22408 Linda Dr., welcomed a new daughter, Terri Lynn, on Jan. 9 at Torrance Memorial Hospital. She weighed 6 lbs., 14 oz. She was welcomed by her grandparents, Ivan O. Lewis, of Torrance; Mrs. Pearl A. Gerren of Ferndale, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. William Crump Sr., of Gardena.

Mrs. J. Deebie, of 5395 Reese Rd., is the neighborhood chairman for the Girl Scout cookie sales in this area. They will begin Feb. 18 for one week, offering four different kinds of cookies. Mrs. Deebie's phone number is FR 5-5385.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rogan and family, of 22408 Warmside Ave., are entertaining their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rogan, from Idaho. The young couple expect to make their home here.

New cars are the proud possessions of the George Smiths, who bought a station wagon, and the Phil Rices, who got a sedan. Both live on Warmside Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith, of 22714 Gaycrest Ave., welcomed a new son Jan. 12 in Mission Hospital in Gardena. The newborn weighed in at 7 lbs., 13 oz. Happy about the new arrival are his brother, Bradford, and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Smith of Torrance, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maher, of Los Angeles.

Meetings of the Women's Missionary Society of the South Bay Baptist Church will be held Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The Millie Kreps Circle will meet with Rev. and Mrs. George Cain at 4850 Mindora Dr. and the Eileen Bowman Circle will gather at the home of Mrs. Anna Cowman, of 225 S. Juanita Ave., Redondo Beach. The chapel and new addition will be dedicated Sunday after 2:30 p.m., with speakers and special music.

Boys and girls between 12 and 18 who live in Torrance can join the Torrance Auxiliary Police. Classes for the organization will start Wednesday, Jan. 25, in the City Hall council chambers. Doings included fire prevention, first aid, juvenile law, firearms, and COW OUTPUT

An average American dairy cow in 1955 produced about 2,000 quarts of milk, the dairy industry records show.

Mines in the U. S. have the capacity to produce as much as 700 tons of coal a minute around the clock.

narcotics classes, as well as extended field trips and duty in civic affairs. It is sponsored by the Torrance Police. Applications can be obtained at the Police Department, and information can be obtained from Mrs. Regina Ryan at FA 8-3456.

The Beau Jardin Garden Club met at the home of Ellen Blair, of 22221 Warmside Ave., Wednesday, with ten members and two guests present.

The group resolved to make the Exceptional Children's School in San Pedro their main project. They also decided to hold their next meeting Jan. 25, which is Tuesday, rather than Wednesday at the home of Freda Siegel, 22408 Shadycroft Ave. On Wednesday they will attend a dance at the Aragon Ballroom featuring Lawrence Welk. The Exceptional Children's School gets part of the money for tickets sold. Bernice Smith is selling tickets. She may be contacted at FR 5-4135.

Kathy Detheridge and Mary Wargo were guests at the last meeting.

The group will spend Jan. 19 painting wooden planters to be given to newcomers in the neighborhood.



VISITING AIRCRAFT PLANT . . . Members of the Torrance Kiwanis Club inspect part of the operation necessary to put the Navy's new P4D Skyraider in the air during a tour of the Douglas Aircraft Co. plant here last week. Department heads of the company served as escorts for the tours, answering all questions not bound by security regulations.

Kiwanis Club Members See Navy Jet in Plant Visit

Operations which go into the construction of the Douglas P4D Skyraider, world-record-holding jet aircraft made at the Torrance Douglas plant, were shown members of the Torrance Kiwanis Club during a tour of the local firm last Monday.

Following the showing of two color films on Douglas Navy products, the members of the club toured the plant with department heads serving as guides. Club members saw "Field Operations," a film made with the camera in the radar operator's seat during crucial test runs of the new delta-wing P4D. The second film showed the actual runs when the Skyraider reclaimed the world three kilometer speed record.

Churches Adding Church Services

The Churches have joined the church, and are helping with the church services.

Two of the new Sunday School teachers at South Bay Baptist Church are Rev. and Mrs. Earl Church, who are teaching the men's Bible class and conducting the junior church services respectively.

Rev. Church, an ordained minister, now a teacher at Mira Costa High School, recently joined the South Bay Church.

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Tartar Teen Talk

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Dreamy music and wonderful decorations set the scene for the winter formal Saturday night, Jan. 8, at the Civic Auditorium. Over 100 couples enjoyed the evening and the smooth music of the Tartar dance band.

Winter Wonderland, the theme of the dance, was well carried out with white pine trees and hundreds of glittering snowflakes. One beautiful fir tree enhanced the middle of the floor and a large cluster of colored tinsel ornaments hung above this tree. A spotlight shone on this lovely centerpiece, making it the center of attraction. Adding to the winter scene was a life-size one-horse open sleigh on the edge of the dance floor. Encircling the room were round tables, which seated four couples. These tables were decorated with pine cones and pine boughs. Guests were served delicious punches such as snowman's downfall (hot apple cider), cranberry cordial, and holly flip.

Greeting the couples in the tinsel-decorated entrance way, taking cloaks and serving punch were eight of the lovelier underclassmen—Joyce Cannon, Genny Sandstrom, Pat Bernhardt, Cathy Hurst, Phyllis Wallenmeyer and Diane Norum. All in all, the dance was heralded a success and the Student Council did a fine job of planning it. Also to be thanked are many other Tartars who willingly decorated and helped with the affair for many long hours.

After the formal, many couples went to the home of Helen Roberts for a party. Fancy, open-faced sandwiches, cake and hot apple cider were served buffet-style to the guests attending. After eating, everyone had a wonderful time playing games such as gossip and rhythm. Couples enjoying themselves at Helen's home were Cynthia Easley and Tom Smith, Ann Steinbaugh and Don Kaestel, Linda Thistle and Tony Ward, Audrey Stevens and Charles Edmunds, Ann Bayliss and Larry Lippincott, Patty Wingard and Dick Dawson, Barbara Carter and Sherwood Ternan, Peggy Brady and Jim Portlock, Bev Oaks and Bill Montgomery, Carlene Sandstrom and Joe Moonshyham, Julie Carcerano and Bob Boas, Judy Cook and Dewane Felton.

Joe Giordano also entertained at his home after the formal Saturday night. Potato salad, sandwiches, and punch were served as a midnight snack. Attending were Joan Laskaris and Lloyd Finch, and Sue Dukeman and Steve Peters.

The Girls League recently had another one of their tremendous aud calls. The assembly was a panel discussion on various dating problems. Judi Reid was moderator of the discussion. Ten girls participated on the panel. They were Patty Jordan and Barbara Merola, freshmen; Barbara Carter and Midge Simons, sophomores; Vicki Hagan and Mitz Trimview, juniors; Jan Brimley and Jan Desmond, seniors; and Judy Wright and Cynthia Easley, Tartar Ladies.

Those Tartars who are planning to enter the Lions Club Speech Contest should begin preparing their speeches immediately. Contestants must give their speeches before the speech department before Feb. 14. Winner of this contest will compete in the district contest. A \$1500 scholarship to college of their choice, will be given the winners of this contest. Any student at THS may compete.

Another aud call was held Tuesday for freshmen and sophomores. A panel of former Tartars now attending college discussed their experiences and the importance of high school courses and studies. The college students were Carol Campbell, Mary Sue Easley, Dave Scholl and Greg Jenkins.

Congratulations are in order for the new Mr. and Mrs. Larry Roy, nee Betty Martinez. The couple was married Nov. 14 and just recently told their friends.

Surprising Betty Roy last Wednesday with a bridal shower were 30 senior girls. The shower was given by Connie Ericson, and Jan and Jean Brimley at the Brimley home. Betty was very surprised and received many lovely gifts.

A joint meeting of the Tartar Knights and Ladies was held Tuesday night at Paul Shindoda's home. Plans were made for the coming TK-TL Ball, to be held at the Palladium.



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